

VERMONT NEWS.

Vermont Bar Association.

The annual gathering of this organization was held at Montpelier on the afternoon and evening of Oct. 15. Over 100 members of the association were present. The literary exercises opened with the address by the president, Hon. Jonathan Ross of St. Johnsbury. It was a scholarly and timely paper upon the right of self defense, and some extracts appear elsewhere in this paper. A memorial paper on the late Charles M. Wilds of Middlebury was read by W. H. Bliss of Middlebury. The banquet followed these proceedings and J. H. Senter of Montpelier was toastmaster. The following toasts were responded to: "The Judges," James L. Martin of Brattleboro; "Shall women be admitted to the Bar of Vermont?" Judge W. P. Stafford; "The Journalist," C. A. G. Jackson of Montpelier; "The evolution of a lawyer into a Christian," Rev. C. P. Judkins of Montpelier; "Special masters and referees," Alexander Dunnett; "The Jury," Judge C. H. Darling of Bennington.

In responding to his toast Judge Stafford said there were counties in the state where it would be most practicable to admit one such woman as Carr e Nation to practice at the bar. He made pat hits upon his fellow members of the supreme bench. Though it were any good, might young women who desired to be admitted to the bar, the court would receive them with open arms.

Mr. Dunnett said special masters were forced upon us but the referee is a little lower than the angels and the court, and was in fact an accommodating court on wheels created by agreement by both sides, who didn't dare to go on trial before a jury.

The following officers were elected: President, John Young of Newport; vice-presidents, W. E. Johnson of Woodstock, E. C. Archibald of Manchester, R. W. Hubbard of Hyde Park; secretary, J. H. Minnis of St. Albans; treasurer, Hiram Carleton of Montpelier; board of managers, J. H. Senter of Montpelier, Alex. Dunnett of St. Johnsbury, W. L. Burnap of Burlington, F. M. Butler of Rutland, J. D. Dennison of Randolph.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rutland Vermont railroad, held at St. Albans last week, elected these directors: George B. Reeves of Montreal, E. C. Smith of St. Albans, R. S. Logan of St. Albans, W. Stewart of Middlebury, John B. McCullough of Bennington, E. H. Baker of Boston, Henry B. Day of Boston, E. E. Kilner of New York, John Belle of Belleville, Ont., E. N. Martin of Brattleboro, C. P. Smith of Burlington; executive committee, G. B. Reeves, R. S. Logan and E. H. Baker. By original agreement E. C. Smith continues to hold the office of president. R. S. Logan was elected vice president and general manager, W. H. Chaffee clerk to the treasurer and M. M. Reynolds auditor, all re-elected. Robert S. Logan, the general manager, reported a large falling off of the business of the line, and in many cases an increase in expense of operation for the year ending June 30, 1901. There was a decrease of \$186,615 in receipts, while the general expenses increased \$6,048; conducting transportation, \$161,033; taxes, \$33,930, and fixed charges, \$43,558.

The report shows that passenger traffic was affected by the extension of the Rutland railroad between Burlington and Keesebrouck Point, where it connects with the Ogdensburg and Lake Champlain railroad, by the purchase of the Boston and Maine road and by the diversion of passenger traffic to electric railways.

McKinley's Gernium. On Sept. 11, 1896, 100 of the prominent men from all sections of Vermont made a pilgrimage to Canton, Ohio, for the purpose of calling on William McKinley, then candidate for president. Among the number was Silas L. Griffith of Danville, who is noted for the interest he takes in plants. While at Canton, Mrs. McKinley cut a slip from a geranium in her conservatory and gave it to Mr. Griffith. He brought it home with him, nurtured it until it came to maturity, and named it the "McKinley geranium."

Since that time he has grown from it 100 plants, one of which has been sent to each member of the party that made the trip. In 100 homes in the state there is at present a thriving plant, a reminder of the dead president and his beloved wife. The plant is said to be of a handsome species.

The Value of Kipling's Vermont Home. There has been considerable curiosity first and last as to the amount of money invested by Rudyard Kipling in his former country home near Brattleboro, and known as Naulahka. There are only 13 acres of land. Beatty S. Balestier, who was the manager of the place for Mr. Kipling before they had their personal accounts settled, says that Mr. Kipling invested in the vicinity of \$25,000 in the residence and improvements. The place has been in the hands of agents in the great cities for sale for months. The asking price is in the vicinity of the cost to Mr. Kipling. It is not believed that the place will ever sell for much more than from \$5000 to \$7500. Bechwood, the fine country home of the Balestiers, has come into the market by the death of Mrs. Balestier. It has been in the family for many years.

An Interesting Relic. While attending the recent session of the United States court in Rutland, Judge Wheeler had in his possession a relic which greatly interested the legal men. It was a combination compass and sundial which formerly belonged to Captain Melville, a Vermontor, of French and Indian war fame. This compass was ploughed up by a farmer on Judge Wheeler's land in the town of Jamaica in 1884. It was lost in 1748. The judge has a copy of Captain Melville's journals telling about his reckonings with this compass in his journeys through the state. A good proof of the identity of this relic is the fact that the journals do not speak of the captain using his dial to find the time of day after 1748.

S. of V. Appointment. Order No. 7, series of 1901, issued from the headquarters of Vermont division, Society of Veterans, U. S. A., by Commander C. J. Smith of Huntington, announces the following appointments: Surgeon-General E. McIntyre, camp No. 72, Danby; Chaplain—Will L. White, camp No. 39, Calais; Mustering Officer—Volney S. Wetherell, camp No. 77, Johnson. Sergeant Major—George E. Fisher, camp No. 75, Lyndonville. Quartermaster—Will A. Reed, camp No. 28, Chelsea. Color Sergeant—H. O. Wetherell, camp No. 46, Cambridge. Senior Aid—Sheldon Hanson camp No. 20, Wells River. An application for a camp at

Hardwick with 23 names thereon, has been received and approved, and the camp will be mustered as soon as the necessary arrangements are made. Applications are in circulation for new camps at Essex Junction and Pittsford.

The Chittenden Power Company of Rutland is building at a cost of \$30,000 a tube five miles long, to deliver water to their new reservoir at Chittenden Point, where power will be developed for the Rutland Street Railway Company, and other industries there. The tube is five feet in diameter, is a shell an inch thick of the best steel and will stand great pressure.

The Chittenden Power Co. of Rutland is building a dam in the town of Chittenden which, it is said, will be one of the largest works of the kind in the country. The dam will be about 800 feet long, and when completed will form a reservoir covering about 800 acres, and with a capacity of 3,750,000,000 gallons. Water will be supplied by a stream known as East creek, and the immense water shed of the Chittenden mountains. The company expects that between 3000 and 4000 horse power will be developed when the reservoir and power stations are completed.

President Roosevelt has appointed William H. Hurt of Burlington, and Alfred M. Mason of St. Albans, to be second lieutenants in the artillery corps, U. S. A. Both are veterans of the First Vermont regiment in the Spanish-American war, and also saw service in the Philippines.

Barclay Brothers, the Barre granite dealers, began the work of enlarging their plant last week, and when completed it will be the largest granite shed in the Vt. lth.

John Lynch of Randolph, a veteran of the First Vermont Cavalry, died Friday of strangulated hernia and heart failure. The success of the musical festival at Burlington has given an impetus to the work in various parts of the state. Middlebury is planning to send a chorus of 100 voices to the festival next year. Burlington will be represented by a chorus numbering 250 people. St. Albans one of 125, while Barre has already an organization of over 200. Rutland will have 175 voices in its chorus. J. Harry Engels of Rutland will have charge of the choruses in nearly all the larger places. Verdi's "Requiem Mass" will be sung at next year's festival.

Dr. M. J. Wilsey, director of the state laboratory at Burlington, was seriously injured Wednesday by the explosion of a barrel containing a small amount of alcohol over which he was working.

Rev. C. R. Dodge has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Baptist church in Bellows Falls after 12 years pastorate.

Bellows Falls has a choral union of sixty voices.

There are 160 prisoners at the jail at Windsor and next year an addition will probably be made to the work shop to accommodate those sentenced to labor.

Considerable illness prevails among the veterans at the soldiers' home, seven of the inmates being in the hospital.

The mountain in the towns of Warren and Lincoln near the Starksboro and Fayston lines, more than 4000 acres in area, has been purchased by Col. Joseph Battell of Middlebury as a park for citizens of Vermont and has been named by Mr. Battell "Ellen's Mountain."

The peak heretofore has been unnamed. It is densely covered with forests of spruce and is one of the highest in the Green Mountain range.

Fire at Maplewood Farm, a large poultry raising establishment owned by J. Foster Rhodes, at Woodstock, Thursday night, destroyed the big brooding house, several hundred chickens perishing in the flames. The building was 200 feet long, a well built structure and the loss is quite heavy. The place is about a mile and a half from the village and the hook and ladder Co. and hundreds of people went over to watch the blaze. The severe fire was covered with water buckets and blankets, there being no fire apparatus but had there been slight wind no buildings on the place could have been saved. No insurance.

Paul Canfield, son of general superintendent Canfield of the Ontario and Western railroad, and employed as a civil engineer on the Rutland railroad system since April, died at Middletown, N. Y., Wednesday of brain fever. He was a witness October 34 in New York in an action against the Rutland railroad company, and during his testimony he answered 600 questions. The severe mental strain overtaxed his brain, and Tuesday he was taken ill, dying suddenly. He was to have been married in a few days.

The meeting of the Vermont State Teachers' association, which was to have been held in Burlington Oct. 24 to 26, has been postponed until November 21, 22 and 23.

Rev. Chauncey C. Adams, a former Bellows Falls boy who has been pastor of a church in Port Byron, Ill., for some time, has accepted a call to the Congregational church in Hinesburg, and began his work there October 13.

A new industry is to be located in Waterbury. It will be a wrapper manufacturing establishment and it is expected it will be ready for business by January 1. They expect to employ between 40 and 50 girls. The location planned is in the large room over the opera house. This will give them all they wish for, for the present, at least, as it is 50 by 80 feet. The men who are behind this industry are to have a capital stock of \$12,000 at first to run the business and this amount will be added to later as they branch out. It is proposed to run the machinery by electricity.

Wallace N. Batchelder, Vermont's only representative in Roosevelt's Rough Riders, now a law student at Brattleboro, was married Wednesday to Miss Maude Leone Thompson, of Cavendish.

Congressman Kittredge Haskins has notified Postmaster Cannon that rural free delivery for Bellows Falls will be inaugurated December 2. The route will cover a distance of 25½ miles, with 109 houses on the line and 458 persons to be accommodated.

Dandruff the Cause of Baldness. Dandruff has been found to be the cause of baldness by several eminent dermatologists. Therefore, it is important that it should be cured as soon as it appears. No recent preparation has scored such a wonderful success as Royal Dandruff Cure, which cures dandruff instantly, stops the fall of hair and promotes a vigorous new growth. Price 50 cts. per bottle, no cure, no pay. J. A. STANTON, druggist.

GENERAL NEWS.

Yale's Bi-centennial.

The 200th anniversary of Yale University was celebrated at New Haven, Conn., last week. The exercises began with religious services on Sunday, and succeeded by special features on the succeeding days. Monday night 6000 graduates and students of Yale marched in gay parade through the streets decked with the Yale colors. Wednesday was the great day of the celebration, with President Roosevelt the first of many distinguished guests who were in attendance. A long list of degrees was conferred—47 distinguished men receiving an LL. D., 8 Litt. D., and 5 D. D. Among those who received LL. D. were President Roosevelt, Archbishop Ireland, John Hay, secretary of state, Bishop Potter of New York, Chief Justice Fuller, Seth Low of Columbia University, Richard Olney, William Reid, Admiral Sampson and President Pritchett of Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The Litt. D.'s went to Thomas Bailey Aldrich, George Washington Cable, Samuel L. Clemens, Richard Watson Gilder, William Dean Howells, Brander Matthews, Thomas Nelson Page and Woodrow Wilson.

The oration was delivered by Justice Brewer of the United States Supreme court. He was applauded time after time, but when, turning slightly towards President Roosevelt, Justice Brewer said, "Thank God, there are college men who are able to recognize a true Washington, whether his name be George or Booker," there was a very tumult of cheers, showing where the sympathies of the great audience were with regard to the recent White House incident.

Big Paper Company Forming. The White Mountain Paper Company, a \$25,000,000 corporation, is being formed by Western Massachusetts men, and will soon be incorporated under New Jersey laws. William B. Plunkett of Adams, is to be president of the company, and among the others interested are ex-Congressman William G. Whiting of Holyoke, George B. James of Boston, Colonel McCook and General A. C. Barnes of New York. The company has acquired about 625 square miles of spruce and poplar timber land in New Hampshire and Maine, south and east of Mount Washington, a tract equal in extent to one fifth of the state of New Hampshire. Portsmouth, N. H., will be the home of the company, which will build there the largest mill in the world, it is said.

The World's Gold. Director Roberts of the mint has prepared a statement showing the production of the precious metals for the calendar year of 1900. It shows that the production of gold in the world that year was 12,457,287 ounces of the value of \$257,514,700, a loss in value of \$49,070,200 from 1899. The loss was mainly in the Transvaal field of South Africa, and due to the war. The principal gains were \$6,066,000 in Canada. The United States again heads the list, the principal gains being in Alaska, Arizona, Colorado and Utah.

The silver output of the world amounted to 178,796,796 fine ounces, the largest ever known. It exceeds the product of 1899 by 11,572,513 ounces.

The United States again leads all other producers with a slight excess over Mexico. There was an important advance in the price of silver during the year, the price ranging from 59.1 cents per ounce in January to 66.3 cents in the last month of the year. The chief factor in the rise was the purchases for the account of the government of India.

Government Estimate of Corn Crop. The Agricultural Department at Washington has just issued its estimate of the year's corn crop, showing a total yield for all the states of 1,250,597,000 bushels. Of this the statement shows that Nebraska, notwithstanding the dry weather which prevailed during July, will furnish 103,367,000 bushels, or more than one-tenth of the entire crop. This is interesting as showing the wonderful recuperative properties of the Nebraska soil. There is probably no other state in the union which would, under the circumstances, make such a magnificent showing. Nebraska is a grand state and is rapidly increasing in wealth and population.

Carnegie's Latest Gift. Andrew Carnegie, from Skibo Castle, has written Martin G. Brumbaugh, commissioner of education for New York, a result of extended correspondence since July, saying: "I shall be glad to furnish \$100,000 for the erection of a public library at San Juan on condition that a site be furnished, and the city pledge itself to support the library by an appropriation of \$6,000 annually, supplemented by action on the part of the insular legislature, bringing the total to \$8,000 or \$9,000."

Pan-American Losses. The decision of the directors to close the Pan-American Exposition on the night of Nov. 2 enables the accountants to make a fairly accurate estimate of the loss which the Pan-American will suffer. It will exceed \$4,000,000. The stockholders will receive back nothing for the \$2,500,000 which they put in. Contractors who built the exposition will lose \$1,000,000, and the issue of \$500,000 second mortgage bonds will be defaulted as well as 20 per cent of the first mortgage bonds.

A Great Coal Year. Production of anthracite coal in Pennsylvania this year will be the largest in the history of the trade. Approximately the output will be about 10,000,000 tons more than in 1900. For the nine months of this year shipments of coal amounted to 40,309,786 tons, as against 34,202,710 tons for the same period of last year. The figures relate only to the actual shipment of coal and do not include that used at the mines and by the coal companies. The demand for hard coal this year has been greater than ever before. The production has been fully taken up and the mining companies have little stock on hand.

The National Grange convenes at Lewiston, Me., Wednesday, November 13, for its 55th annual session. The seventh degree will be conferred upon a greater number than ever before, Maine alone furnishing over 2000. The State Grange will be held at White River Junction, December 11 to 13. Vermont stands only third in the number of Granges organized during the past year.

Prof. D. R. Dewey of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who has been appointed as an expert of the census bureau to prepare wage statistics, is a Burlington boy, born and brought up in that city. He graduated from the University of Vermont.

An effort to abate the smoke nuisance in Hoosac tunnel will be made soon by the Boston and Maine railroad. The plan is to couple an oil-burning engine on the train at the tunnel entrance, the regular engine running light, with clear fire while the former hauls the train. One of these engines is now being made at the Keene shops.

The hill which will be presented to J. Pierpont Morgan for electrification of St. Paul's cathedral, London, will be \$9,000 instead of \$5,000, which was the estimated cost when cabled to the Associated Press. Mr. Morgan originally undertook to defray the expenses of lighting the building.

After repeated failures Santos Dumont has successfully piloted his airship around the Eiffel tower. The airship rose 250 yards and pointed directly toward the tower. It was seen through field glasses to reach the tower and round it between the second and topmost platforms, returning against a heavy wind. The machine was in the air 30 minutes, and in all that time did not swerve from a true course.

Congress will be asked, at the coming session, to increase the appropriation for rural free delivery to \$6,250,000, an excess over last year of \$2,750,000. The growth of this branch of the service has been rapid and is generally commended. On the first of November 800 carriers will have been appointed, and this force will be increased as the further extension of the service demands.

A contractor at Augusta, Me., has recently shipped two carloads of a special kind of brick from St. Louis to Augusta at an expense for the express charges of \$19,555. The contractor had a time limit on his work and paid the price in order to meet the requirements.

It is said that the conservative Chinese are strongly demanding the recall of Wu Ting-fang, the Chinese Minister to the United States, on the ground that his popularity abroad indicates that he is not sufficiently loyal to Chinese interests. Officials predict that he will be summoned to join the Wei Wu Pu, or new foreign office, where his linguistic and legal acquisitions will be valuable.

One of the boldest robberies in the history of the country occurred on the night of Oct. 20, when one of the three big vaults in the temporary post office building in Chicago was blown open and \$750,000 in cash was stolen. A tunnel was dug from the lake front side under the vault and through this the robbers went. The stamp vault was only six feet away from the cashier's vault containing \$300,000 in cash. This vault was evidently the burglars' objective point.

Unless the rot increases, the potato crop of Aroostook county, Maine, will bring into the pockets of the farmers this year close to \$4,000,000.

M. C. D. Borden of Fall River, Mass., ordered notices to be posted in the iron mills works last week announcing another advance of five per cent in the wages of his employees, to take effect on Monday, Nov. 4. Mr. Borden granted a 5 per cent increase a short while ago.

ENCOURAGING OUTLOOK. Depression in the Oil Industry has Passed.

The period has arrived in the history of oil production in California, when the producers are in a position to demand and obtain a fair price for oil, based on a profitable margin. There is no doubt but that the largest producers in the Kern River field have combined for self-protection, and the Los Angeles producers are already receiving a fair price for oil, owing to a protective combination. The probability is that oil will never again be sold in this state at as low a rate as ruled during the early portion of this year. The consumption of oil in San Francisco has now reached 1,000,000 barrels per annum, and the demand will increase, for the manufacturer who burns coal cannot long compete with the one who uses crude oil. The Southern Pacific Railroad Company is gradually increasing the number of oil burners on its road, and it was truly stated by an official of the road, if the Company should conclude to use oil on its entire system, the present output of the state would be inadequate to supply it. In the meantime, new industries have been started, requiring the use of petroleum, and the mines, mills and smelters of the state are using it for fuel. The car-lines are operated, and the big buildings of San Francisco, Los Angeles, Oakland and other cities are heated by the aid of oil burners. Refineries are being erected at various points in the state; pipe lines are being surveyed and mammoth tanks are being built at the points of production and consumption; the questions of transportation and price are gradually being adjusted; railroads and spur tracks are run into the producing fields; the Standard Oil Company has entered California with an appropriation of more than \$30,000,000. It is now completing storage tanks in the Kern River field, which will have 1,000,000 barrels capacity, and erecting a \$3,000,000 refinery at Point Richmond. This Company has but recently purchased the entire property of the Pacific Coast Oil Company, and built large loading tanks at Redondo, and is also shipping all the product of the Whittier fields to the Alameda Refinery. All things considered, the oil business in California seems to have a promising outlook. The depression is past, and a period of prosperity may now be looked for.—Mining and Engineering Review, San Francisco, Oct. 19, 1901.

A movement is on foot in North Carolina, prompted by the tobacco dealers, to erect a statue of Sir Walter Raleigh in Raleigh. Collection boxes are to be placed in stores where tobacco is sold.

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Christian Endeavor Prayer Meeting.

Topic for Sunday, Nov. 3, "God's Leading in Our Lives." Ps. xxiii.

DAILY READINGS—THE LEADETH ME. Oct. 28. God our preserver. Ps. xxxi. 1-24. Oct. 29. Our Father's plan. Isa. xl. 1-11. Oct. 30. Working out God's will. Heb. xii. 1-21.

Oct. 31. Need of direction. Ps. xxxiii. 1-8. Nov. 1. Led by little things. 2 Kings v. 7-13. Nov. 2. The light that guides. John viii. 12: xii. 35, 36, 40. Nov. 3. God's leading in our lives. Ps. xlii. 1-11.

SCRIPTURE VERSES. Ex. xv. 13; Deut. xxxii. 9-12; Ps. xxxiii. 8; xlviii. 14; lxxvii. 52, 53; cvii. 1-7; Isa. xl. 18; lviii. 11; John xvi. 13; Rom. viii. 14.

LESSON THOUGHTS. There are many paths in life, but only one right one for us. We are continually coming to the parting of the ways, where we need a guide. No one can foresee the future, but God knows and he will lead in the paths of righteousness those who look to him.

Is the Lord thy Shepherd? Then thou art his sheep. Are you such in fact as well as in name? Do you follow where he leads? Does your heart ever beat responsive to his call? Can you so trust him that you are sure of having no real want?

SELECTIONS. I do not doubt my safety—that thy hand Will still uphold and guard me to the last; And that my feet on Canaan's hill shall stand. When the long wilderness is overpast; But often faith is weak and hope is low. Forward, indeed, but faint and wearily go. Lord, at the evening time let there be light; Unveil thy presence; bid all darkness fly; Surely new far spurs must be the night. The morning comes, the journey's end is nigh.

We cannot see the way ahead, but that only gives occasion for God to lead us every step of the journey and to furnish us a lamp to our feet. The paths of earth may be rough, the way of life narrow, but the Master trod it, and goes over it with us.

Troubles and sorrows and difficulties will come into the Christian's life, but God is with him and he need fear no evil. God did not take up the three Hebrews out of the furnace of fire, but he came down and walked with them in it. He did not remove Daniel from the den of lions; he sent his angel to close the mouths of the beasts. He did not answer the prayer of Paul to remove the thorns in the flesh, but he gave him a sufficiency of grace to sustain him.

SUGGESTED HYMNS. Lead, kindly Light. How oft our souls are lifted up. Press on, press on, O pilgrim. Traveling to the better land. Savior, like a shepherd lead me. Savior, lead me, lest I stray.

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